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Economic Services Division

Committee on China

(Minutes of the Forty-Fifth Meeting -- 1400, 16 August 1955)

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Present: Messrs. [REDACTED]

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Guests : Messrs. [REDACTED]

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Current Topics

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1. [REDACTED] S/TR, briefed the Committee on foreign trade estimates for Communist China and their relationship to Communist China's announcement on its foreign trade.

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2. [REDACTED] S/TR, briefed the Committee on railroad tonnage and rolling stock production and inventory estimates and the method of arriving at these estimates.

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3. [REDACTED] discussed current items received from [REDACTED] of interest to the Committee.

Topics for future consideration

1. The relationship of economic growth in particular sectors of the Chinese Communist economy to the entire economy and the possible lead-log effects.

2. Terms of reference for ORR projects on the Far East.

3. CSS philosophy of current support on the Far East.

Agenda for 23 August 1955

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1. Mr. [REDACTED] A/F, will discuss the water conservancy project on the Yellow River.

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2. Mr. [REDACTED], S/CST, will discuss Construction trends in Communist China.

3. Current items.

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